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Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

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A concise explanation of the relevance of each non-English language document or other information is as follows (37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3)):

These references are also cited in co-pending application 10/772,835, filed February 5, 2004. Document WO 95/13993 is the corresponding English translation for document CN 1105343 A. The reference is directed to crystal glass and is not related to high

transmittance glass sheet and would not suggest solutions to any problems seen with high transmittance glass sheet.

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